

/ Claim 4, line 1, delete "any of the claims 1-3" and insert --claim 1--.

/ Claim 6, line 1, delete "any of the claims 1-5" and insert --claim 1--.

/ Claim 7, line 1, delete "any of the claims 1-6" and insert --claim 1--.

/ Claim 8, lines 1 and 2, delete "any of the claims 1-7" and insert --claim 1--.

/ Claim 9, line 1, delete "or 2".

/ Claim 10, line 1, delete "any of the claims 1-7" and insert --claim 1--.

/ Claim 11, line 1, delete "any of the preceding claims" and insert --claim 1--.

Please add the following new Claims 20 and 21:

--20. Process according to claim 2, characterized in that in step (b) the aqueous hypotonic solution is ammonium chloride.

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21. Process according to claim 2, characterized in that the plasma separated in step (a) is recovered.--